

Metropolis

Fabric by Faye Burgos
Quilt by Jean Ann Wright



92" x 92"



A simple but effective piano-keys border beautifully frames a mix of METROPOLIS coordinates in this easy geometric design by Jean Ann Wright. It's one of the many ways you can use Faye Burgos' popular Strip-It™ fabric.

Skill Level: Beginner Finished Quilt Size: 92" wide x 92" high Block Count & Size: 9 blocks 16" x 16" square

Fabric Requirements	Cutting Guide	WOF = Width of Fabric
Fabric A 2 yds 3105-0150	(8) 8-1/2" x wof strips, sew together in sets of two for (4) outside borders	
Fabric B 1/3 yd 3106-0113	(1) 8-7/8" x wof strip, recut into (3) 8-7/8" squares, then cut each square in half on the diagonal once for (6) half square triangles	
Fabric C 1/3 yd 3107-0150	(1) 8-7/8" x wof strip, recut into (2) 8-7/8" squares, then cut each square in half on the diagonal once for (4) half square triangles	
Fabric D 1/3 yd 3108-0113	(1) 8-7/8" x wof strip, recut into (4) 8-7/8" squares, then cut each square in half on the diagonal once for (8) half square triangles	
Fabric E 7/8 yd 3109-0113	(1) 8-7/8" x wof strip, recut into (4) 8-7/8" squares, then cut each square in half on the diagonal once for (8) half square triangles	
Fabric F 1/2 yd 3110-0113	(1) 17-1/4" x wof strip, from the strip cut (1) 17-1/4" square, then cut the square in half on diagonal twice for (4) quarter square triangles	
Fabric G 1/2 yd 3110-0114	(1) 17-1/4" x wof strip, from the strip cut (2) 17-1/4" squares, then cut the squares in half on diagonal twice for (8) quarter square triangles	
Fabric H 1-1/3 yds 3111-0150	(1) 16-7/8" x wof strip, from the strip cut (2) 16-7/8" squares, then cut the squares in half on diagonal once for (4) half square triangles	
Fabric I 2/3 yd 3112-0114	(8) 4-1/2" x wof strips, sew together end-to-end, then cut (2) 4-1/2" x 68-1/2" vertical borders and (2) 4-1/2" x 76-1/2" horizontal borders	
Fabric J 1/2 yd 3112-0150	(1) 8-1/2" x wof strip, recut into (4) 8-1/2" squares	
	(1) 8-7/8" x wof strip, recut into (2) 8-7/8" squares, then cut each square in half on the diagonal once for (4) half square triangles	
Fabric K 2/3 yd 3113-0113	(1) 17-1/4" x wof strip, from the strip cut (1) 17-1/4" square, then cut the square in half on diagonal twice for (4) quarter square triangles; from remainder of strip cut (1) 8-7/8" square, then cut in half on diagonal once for (2) half square triangles.	
Fabric L 7/8 yd 3113-0142	(2) 8-7/8" x wof strips, recut into (6) 8-7/8" squares, then cut each square in half on the diagonal once for (12) half square triangles	
Fabric M 2/3 yd 3113-0150	(1) 8-7/8" x wof strip, recut into (4) 8-7/8" squares, then cut each square in half on diagonal once for (8) half square triangles	
	(7) 2-1/2" x wof strips, sew together end-to-end, then cut (2) 2-1/2" x 64-1/2" borders and (2) 2-1/2" x 68-1/2" borders	
	(2) 8-7/8" x wof strips, recut into (6) 8-7/8" squares, then cut each square in half on the diagonal once for (12) half square triangles	

Backing: 7-1/4 yds fabric 3109-0150, cut into (2) equal pieces 96" long and sew together selvedge to selvedge. Cut remainder into 2 equal pieces about 20" x 48-1/2" long and piece together along 20" side, then sew selvedge to selvedge to piece backing.

Binding: 3/4 yd fabric 3113-0113, cut (10) 2-1/4" x wof strips and sew together end-to-end.

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Block Construction & Assembly

1. Center block: Using half square triangles, sew a fabric B triangle to a fabric J triangle. Make 2 units and sew the units together to make a square. Sew a fabric C triangle to each side of the resulting square to complete the center block (Diagram 1).

2. Side blocks: Watching orientation of triangles, sew a fabric M half square triangle to a fabric K half square triangle. Make 4 units. Sew a fabric D half square triangle to each side. Make 4 units. Sew a fabric E 8-7/8" triangle to each side of a fabric J quarter square triangle. Make 4 units. Sew 2 units together to complete a block. Make 4 blocks (Diagram 2)

3. Corner blocks: Sew a fabric L half square triangle to adjacent sides of a fabric I square. Make 4 units. Sew a fabric H half square triangle to each unit to complete the blocks. Make 4 blocks (Diagram 3).

4. Sew a fabric F quarter square triangle to the sides of a fabric E quarter square triangle. Make 4 units. Sew a fabric M half square triangle to the left side of a fabric K half square triangle. Make 8 units. Sew the half square triangle units to each end of the 4 quarter square triangle border units to make a pieced triangle border row. Make 4 borders (Diagram 4).

5. Refer to the quilt diagram for quilt assembly. Arrange the blocks in rows as shown, watching orientation of triangles in the corner blocks. Sew the rows and together to make the center section of the quilt.

6. Sew the borders made in step 4 to each side of the quilt top. Sew the 4 fabric G half square triangles in place to square off the corners.

7. Sew the fabric L vertical borders to opposite sides of the quilt top. Sew the fabric L horizontal borders to the top and bottom of the quilt top. Repeat with fabric H vertical and horizontal borders.

8. Sew a fabric I half square triangle to a fabric G half square triangle. Make 4 for the outside border corners.

9. Center and sew a fabric A border to opposite sides of the quilt top. Trim ends even with outside edges of quilt. Center the fabric A horizontal borders and measure to fit plus 1/2" for seam allowances. Sew the border corners in place at each end with 1/4" seam allowance. Sew these border units to the top and bottom of the quilt.

Finishing

10. Layer the quilt top, batting and backing. Baste, then quilt the layers together.

11. Fold the binding strips over lengthwise and press the fold line. Line up raw edges of binding with raw edges of quilt top and sew in place. Turn binding to back of quilt and stitch in place.

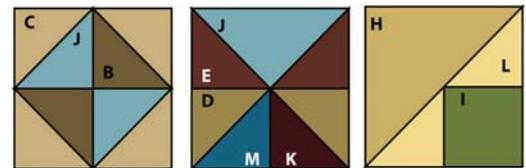


Diagram 1

Diagram 2

Diagram 3

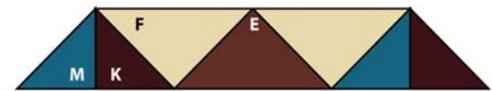


Diagram 4

